Owner's Manual & Safety Instructions

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12 VOLT

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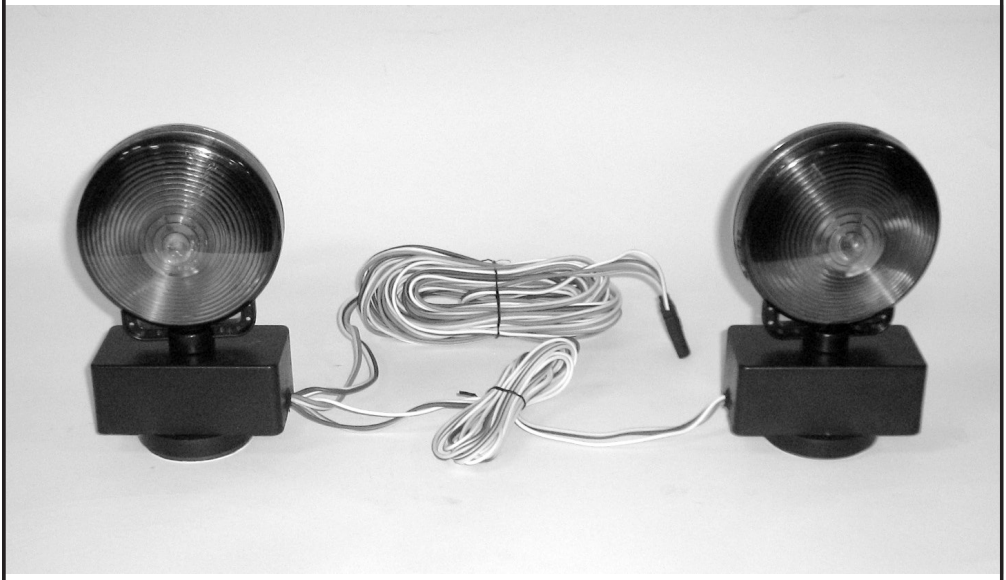
MAGNETIC TOW LIGHT KIT



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IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

In this manual, on the labeling, and all other information provided with this product:

This is the safety alert symbol. It is used to alert you to potential personal injury hazards. Obey all safety messages that follow this symbol to avoid possible injury or death.

⚠DANGER — **DANGER indicates a hazardous situation which, if not avoided, will result in death or serious injury.**

⚠WARNING — **WARNING indicates a hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in death or serious injury.**

⚠CAUTION — **CAUTION, used with the safety alert symbol, indicates a hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in minor or moderate injury.**

NOTICE — **NOTICE is used to address practices not related to personal injury.**

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SAFETY RULES

WARNING! Read all instructions
Failure to follow all instructions listed below may result in electric shock, fire, and/or serious injury.

SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

1. **Obey all applicable regulations regarding installation and use. Observe posted speed limits to prevent lights from blowing off.**

2. **Securely attach lights to vehicle before moving. Loose lights are a traffic hazard.**

3. **Thoroughly test vehicle lights and tow lights before use.**

4. Mount lights in proper orientation. Amber lights must face forward and red lights must face backward. Improper orientation can confuse or distract drivers, causing a traffic hazard.

5. Install on a 12 V negative ground circuit only. Installing on different circuit can result in electric shock, fire, or property damage.

6. Turn off vehicle and set the parking brake before installation or testing.

7. Do not use on marine trailers (such as boat trailers). Not waterproof.

8. Wear ANSI-approved impact safety goggles and heavy-duty work gloves during installation and use.

9. Do not modify the Towing Light Kit and do not use the Towing Light Kit for a purpose for which it was not intended.

10. Inspect before use; do not use if parts are loose or damaged. Inspect wires and connections for insulation damage or loose wires and repair before use.

11. People with pacemakers should consult their physician(s) before use. Electromagnetic fields in close proximity to heart pacemaker could cause pacemaker interference or pacemaker failure.

12. WARNING: Handling the cord on this product will expose you to lead, a chemical known to the State of California to cause cancer, and birth defects or other reproductive harm. Wash hands after handling. (California Health & Safety Code § 25249.5, *et seq*.)

13. This product is not a toy. Keep it out of reach of children.

14. Check light position and function regularly when towing, especially on rough or uneven surfaces, or in windy conditions. The magnets may loose their grip on the vehicle under extreme circumstances.

15. Remove conductive articles (such as metal jewelry, watches, and other items) before installing light kit. Conductive objects can cause an electrical short resulting in fire, property damage, or personal injury.

16. The warnings, precautions, and instructions discussed in this instruction manual cannot cover all possible conditions and situations that may occur. It must be understood by the operator that common sense and caution are factors which cannot be built into this product, but must be supplied by the operator.

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UNPACKING

When unpacking, check to make sure that the item is intact and undamaged. If any parts are missing or broken, please call Harbor Freight Tools at the number shown on the cover of this manual as soon as possible.

SPECIFICATIONS

Electrical Requirements	12 VDC 4.3 A
Bulb Type	12 VDC 21/5 W (#1157 Type)
Connector	4-way Flat

WIRING

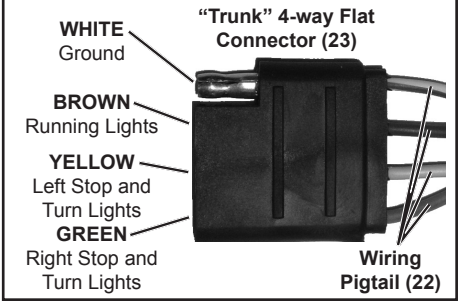
Note: Some towing vehicles may already have a 4-way Flat Connector, "Trunk" plug wired in. For those vehicles, skip the following wiring instructions.

If you do not have experience doing this type of automotive electrical wiring or if the wiring in your vehicle differs from that explained below, have an automotive service technician connect the wiring.

1. Identify the towing vehicle's wires in the trunk that correspond to the circuits indicated in the Wiring Color Code diagram to the right. The white ground wire from the Pigtail (22) may be connected to a bolt or appropriate component on the vehicle to establish a ground instead of a ground wire.

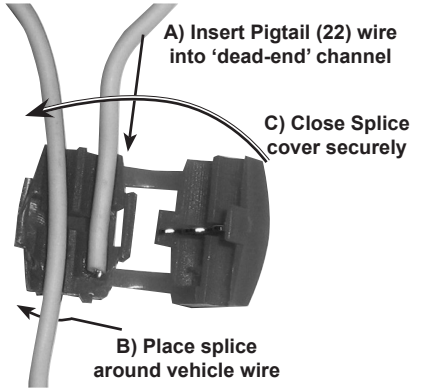
Wiring Color Code

Note: This is the wiring configuration of the "Trunk" 4-way Flat Connector (23). The towing vehicle may have a different wiring color code.



2. Connect the wires from the Wiring Pigtail (22) to the proper vehicle circuit wires using Wire Splices (21). When the supplied splices are used, generally no wire stripping or cutting would be required. Follow these three steps and refer to the illustration to the right:
   a. Insert the end of the Pigtail (22) wire into the 'dead-end' channel of the Splice. Insert the wire all the way to the end of the channel as shown.
   b. Place the Splice around the correct vehicle circuit wire.
   c. Make sure both wires stay properly in place while the cover is closed until it snaps together.

Wire Splice (21) Usage



3. Verify that all wires are held securely.

4. Plug the “Trunk” Connector (23) into the “Trailer” Connector (18).

5. ⚠**WARNING! If the Wire Splices (21) are used improperly and damage the vehicle’s wiring, the vehicles rear lights may fail, resulting in a traffic hazard. Have an assistant operate the vehicle’s lights while you carefully check that the vehicle lights and the towing lights all work properly after installation.** If any function of the vehicle or towing lights does not work, do not drive the vehicle. Carefully inspect the splice connection and the circuit that failed and repair the problem and retest before use.

6. Disconnect the “Trailer” Connector (18) if the light kit is not going to be used yet.

SET UP

1. To help avoid scratches, clean the mounting locations and clean the protective labels under the lights.

2. Set the lights on the back of the vehicle being towed so that the RED side of each light faces backwards. Set the light that has a green wire on the right side and the light that does not have a green wire on the left side.

3. Make sure all wires are secured with enough slack to prevent binding when turning, but controlled enough to prevent roadway or moving part contact. When routing the wires along the trailer, avoid sharp objects, tight corners and exposure to the elements. Keep away from moving parts. Secure with cable ties where necessary and use rubber grommets when passing through cut-outs.

4. Plug the “Trunk” Connector into the “Trailer” Connector.

5. ⚠**WARNING! Have an assistant operate the vehicle’s lights while you carefully check that the vehicle lights and the towing lights all work properly.**
   - Both tow lights should illuminate when the towing vehicle’s running lights are switched on.
   - The tow lights should both light brightly as you apply the brake.
   - The tow light with a green wire should blink brightly with the right turn signal.
   - The tow light without a green wire should blink brightly with the left turn signal.

   If ANY function of the vehicle lights or towing lights does not work, do not drive the towing vehicle until all lights are repaired and retested successfully.

6. The tow light kit is now ready for use. It will automatically illuminate when turn and brake pedal or turn signals in the towing vehicle are used.

7. ⚠**WARNING! Check light position and function regularly when towing, especially on rough or uneven surfaces.** The magnets cannot hold the lights to the vehicle in extreme circumstances.

8. After towing, disconnect “Trailer” Connector, remove tow lights from towed vehicle, clean with a moist cloth, and store in dry location out of reach of children. Do not drag the magnetic bases to disconnect, as they may scratch the body paint. Push to tilt then remove.

BULB REPLACEMENT

⚠CAUTION **Wear ANSI-approved safety goggles and heavy-duty work gloves when replacing the bulb.**

1. Make sure the burned-out bulb has cooled completely.
2. Gently pry off a lens covering the burned out bulb using plastic pry tools (not included) to prevent damage.
3. Press the burned-out bulb into the socket slightly and rotate it counterclockwise to release it. Make a note of the orientation of the pin’s as one is located lower than the others. Remove the burned-out bulb.
4. Insert a new 12V/21/5W bulb into the socket (note pin orientations) and while pushing it down turn it clockwise to secure.
5. Gently snap the lens back in place, and test the lights to ensure proper operation before use.

PARTS LIST

Part	Description	Qty
1	Amber Front Lens	2
2	Red Rear Lens	2
3	Bracket	2
4	Bulb	2
5	Socket	2
6	Threaded Shaft	2
7	Shell	2
8	Spring Washer	2
9	Flat Washer	2
10	Ground Terminal	2
11	Nut	2
12	Screw	2

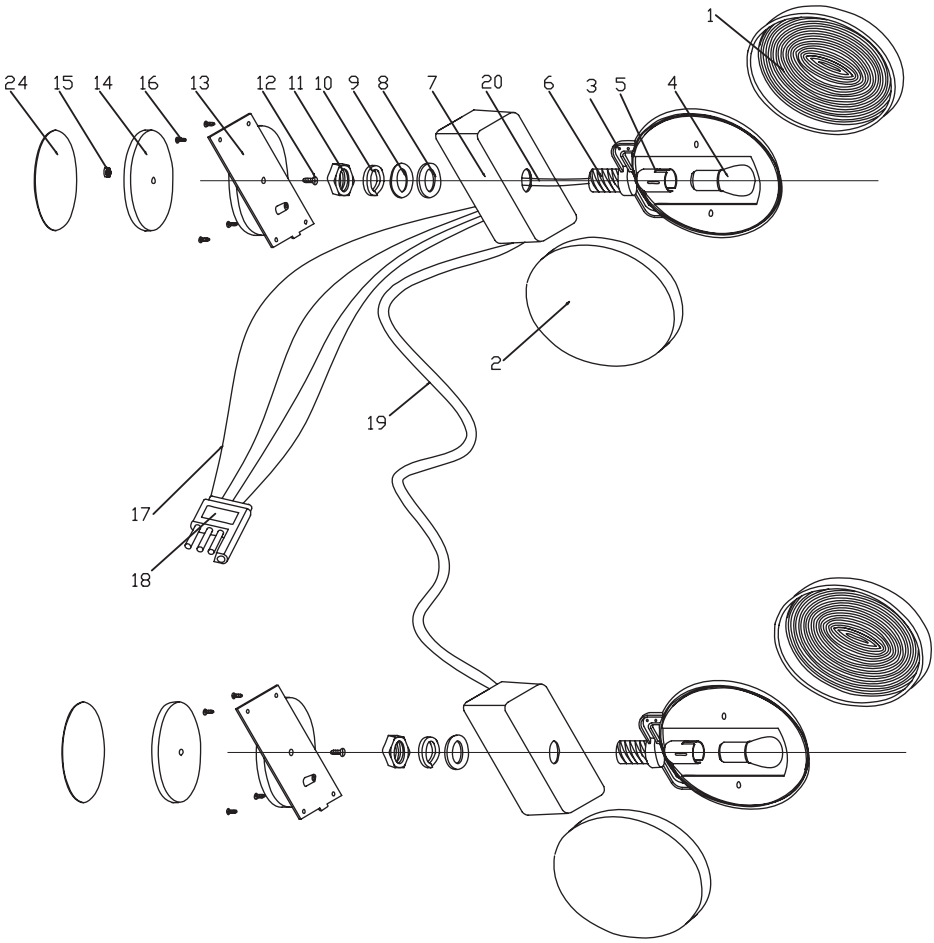
Part	Description	Qty
13	Cover	2
14	Magnet	2
15	Nut	2
16	Screw	8
17	Power Cord	1
18	“Trailer” 4-way Flat Connector	1
19	Left-Right Cord	1
20	Bulb Wire	4
21	Wire Splices	4
22	Wiring Pigtail	1
23	“Trunk” 4-way Flat Connector	1
24	Protective Label	2

Record Product’s Serial Number Here:_____

Note: If product has no serial number, record month and year of purchase instead.

Note: Some parts are listed and shown for illustration purposes only, and are not available individually as replacement parts.

ASSEMBLY DIAGRAM



Part Numbers 21, 22, 23 - see photos on page 4.

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